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Slang A dose of a narcotic. —*fix'a-ble* *adj.* —*fix'er* *n.*
fix-ate (fik'sāt') ► *v.* -at-ed, -at-ing. 1. To make fixed or stationary. 2. To preoccupy obsessively. 3. *Psychol.* To attach (oneself) to a person or thing in an immature or neurotic fashion. —*fix-a'tion* *n.*
fix-a-tive (fik'sā-tiv) ► *n.* A substance that fixes or preserves. —*fix'a-tive* *adj.*
fixed (fikst) ► *adj.* 1. Firmly in position; stationary. 2. Determined; established: *a fixed price*. 3. Invariable; constant: *a fixed income*. 4. *Chem. a.* Nonvolatile. b. In a stable, combined form. 5. Firmly, often dogmatically held: *fixed notions*. 6. Illegally prearranged: *a fixed election*. —*fix'ed-ly* (fik'sid-lē) *adv.* —*fix'ed-ness* *n.*
fix-ings (fik'singz) ► *pl.n.* Informal Accessories; trimmings: *turkey with all the fixings*.
fix-i-ty (fik'si-tē) ► *n.* The quality or condition of being fixed; stability.
fix-ture (fiks'char) ► *n.* 1. Something attached as a permanent apparatus or appliance: *plumbing fixtures*. 2. One long associated with a place or setting.
fizz (fiz) ► *n.* 1. A hissing or bubbling sound. 2. Effervescence. —*fizz* *v.* —*fizz'y* *adj.*
fiz-zle (fiz'əl) ► *v.* -zled, -zling. 1. To make a hissing or sputtering sound. 2. *Informal* To fail or end weakly, esp. after a hopeful beginning. ► *n.* *Informal* A failure.
fjord or **fiord** (fyórd) ► *n.* A long, narrow, deep inlet of the sea between steep slopes.
FL also **Fla.** ► *abbr.* Florida
fl. ► *abbr.* 1. *Lat.* floruit (flourished) 2. fluid
flab (flāb) ► *n.* Soft, fatty body tissue.
flab-ber-gast (flāb'ər-gāst') ► *v.* To overwhelm with astonishment; astound.
flab-by (flāb'ē) ► *adj.* -bi-er, -bi-est. 1. Lacking firmness; slack. 2. Lacking force; feeble. —*flab'bi-ly* *adv.* —*flab'bi-ness* *n.*
flac-cid (flās'id, flāk'sid) ► *adj.* Lacking firmness, resilience, or muscle tone. —*flac-cid'i-ty*, *flac'cid-ness* *n.* —*flac'cid-ly* *adv.*
flack (flāk) ► *n.* Var. of *flak*.
flac-on (flāk'ən, -ōn') ► *n.* A small stoppered bottle.
flag¹ (flāg) ► *n.* 1. A piece of cloth of distinctive color and design, used as a symbol, signal, or emblem. 2. A marker; tag. ► *v.* *flagged*, *flag-ging*. 1. To mark with a flag. 2. To signal with or as if with a flag: *flagged the car to stop*. —*flag'ger* *n.*
flag² (flāg) ► *n.* A plant, as an iris, that has long bladelike leaves.
flag³ (flāg) ► *v.* *flagged*, *flag-ging*. 1. To hang limply; droop. 2. To decline in vigor or strength.
flag⁴ (flāg) ► *n.* A flagstone.
flag-el-late (flāj'ə-lāt') ► *v.* -lat-ed, -lat-ing. To whip or flog; scourge. —*flag'el-la'tion* *n.*

fla-gel-lum (flā-jēl'əm) ► *n., pl.* -gel-la (-jēl'ə). 1. *Biol.* A whiplike extension of certain cells or unicellular organisms that serves in locomotion. 2. A whip.
flag-on (flāg'ən) ► *n.* A large vessel with a handle and spout, used for holding wine or liquors.
flag-pole (flāg'pōl') ► *n.* A pole on which a flag is raised.
flag-grant (flā'grānt) ► *adj.* Conspicuously bad, offensive, or reprehensible. —*fla'gran-cy*, *fla'grance* *n.* —*fla'grant-ly* *adv.*
flag-ship (flāg'ship') ► *n.* 1. A ship bearing the flag of a fleet or squadron commander. 2. The chief one of a group: *the flagship of a newspaper chain*.
flag-staff (flāg'stāf') ► *n.* See *flagpole*.
flag-stone (flāg'stōn') ► *n.* A flat, evenly layered paving stone.
flag-wav-ing (flāg'wā'ving) ► *n.* Excessive or fanatical patriotism. —*flag'-wav'er* *n.*
flail (flāl) ► *n.* A manual threshing device with a long wooden handle and a short, free-swinging stick on the end. ► *v.* 1. To beat with or as if with a flail. 2. To move wildly.
flair (flār) ► *n.* 1. A talent or aptitude. 2. Instinctive discernment; keenness. 3. Distinctive elegance or style.
flak also **flack** (flāk) ► *n.* 1a. Antiaircraft artillery. b. The bursting shells fired from such artillery. 2. *Informal a.* Excessive criticism. b. Dissension; opposition.
flake (flāk) ► *n.* 1. A flat thin piece or layer; chip. 2. A crystal of snow. 3. *Slang* A somewhat eccentric person; oddball. ► *v.* *flaked*, *flak-ing*. To break into or come off in flakes. —*flak'er* *n.* —*flak'i-ly* *adv.* —*flak'i-ness* *n.* —*flak'y*, *flak'ey* *adj.*
flam-bé (flām-bā', flān-) ► *adj.* Served flaming in ignited liquor. —*flam-bé* *v.*
flam-boy-ant (flām-boi'ənt) ► *adj.* 1. Highly elaborate; ornate. 2. Richly colored; resplendent. 3. Marked by striking audacity or verve. 4. Ostentatious. —*flam-boy'ance*, *flam-boy'an-cy* *n.* —*flam-boy'ant-ly* *adv.*
flame (flām) ► *n.* 1. The zone of burning gases and fine suspended matter associated with rapid combustion. 2. A violent or intense passion. 3. *Informal* A sweetheart. 4. An insulting or malicious remark, as on a computer network. ► *v.* *flamed*, *flam-ing*. 1. To burn brightly; blaze. 2. To color or flash suddenly. 3. To insult or criticize provokingly, as on a computer network. —*flam'er* *n.*
fla-men-co (flā-mēng'kō) ► *n., pl.* -cos. 1. A dance style of the Andalusian Gypsies, with forceful, often improvised rhythms. 2. The guitar music that usu. accompanies such a dance.
flame-out (flām'out') ► *n.* Failure of a jet aircraft engine, esp. in flight.
flame-throw-er (flām'thrō'ər) ► *n.* A weapon that projects a steady stream of ignited fuel.
fla-min-go (flā-ming'gō) ► *n., pl.* -gos or -goes. A large

FLA-MINGO

ENGRAVE (2), ESTABLISH (1), FASTEN, GOVERN, LIMIT, PREPARE, SETTLE (1), SETTLE (2), STERILIZE (2).
fix up *v.* —See *FIX* (1), *HARDEN* (2), *RENEW* (1).
fix *n.* —See *BRIBE*, *PREDICAMENT*.
fixate *v.* To dominate the mind or thoughts of ► *obsess*, *possess*, *preoccupy*. [*Compare* *ABSORB*, *GRIP*.]
fixation *n.* —See *OBSESSION*.
fixed *adj.* Firmly in position ► *anchored*, *embedded*, *fastened*, *immobile*, *immovable*, *riveted*, *rooted*, *secured*, *stationary*, *steadfast*, *steady*, *unmovable*, *unmoving*. *Idiom*: cast (or etched or set in stone). [*Compare* *FIRM*.] —See also *DEFINITE* (2), *INTENT*, *MOTIONLESS*, *UNCHANGING*.
fixture *n.* Something attached as a permanent part of something else ► *apparatus*, *fitting*, *installation*. [*Compare* *ATTACHMENT*.] —See also *FAUCET*.
fizz *n.* —See *FOAM*, *HISS* (1).
fizz *v.* —See *FOAM*, *HISS* (1).
fizzle *v.* —See *FADE*, *HISS* (1).

fizzle *n.* —See *DISAPPOINTMENT* (2), *HISS* (1).
fizzy *adj.* —See *FOAMY*.
fjord *n.* —See *INLET*.
flabbergast *v.* —See *STAGGER* (2).
flabby *adj.* —See *FAT* (1), *LIMP*.
flaccid *adj.* —See *LIMP*.
flag¹ *n.* A piece of fabric used as a symbol or emblem ► *banderole*, *banner*, *banneret*, *colors*, *ensign*, *jack*, *oriflamme*, *pennant*, *pennon*, *standard*, *streamer*. —See also *TICKET* (1).
flag *v.* To attach a ticket to ► *earmark*, *label*, *mark*, *tag*, *ticket*. —See also *GESTURE*.
flag² *v.* —See *FADE*, *TIRE* (2), *WILT*.
flagellate *v.* —See *BEAT* (2).
flagitiousness *n.* —See *CORRUPTION* (1).
flagrancy *n.* The quality or state of being flagrant ► *egregiousness*, *glaringness*, *grossness*, *rankness*. [*Compare* *IMPUDENCE*, *OUTRAGEOUSNESS*.]
flagrant *adj.* Conspicuously bad extremely or offensive ► *egregious*, *glaring*, *gross*, *rank*. [*Compare* *OFFEN-*

SIVE, *OUTRAGEOUS*, *SHAMELESS*.]
flail *v.* 1. To swing about or strike at wildly ► *thrash*, *thresh*, *toss*. [*Compare* *STAGGER*, *SWAY*.] 2. To beat plants to separate the grain from the straw ► *thrash*, *thresh*. —See also *BEAT* (1).
flair *n.* —See *TALENT*.
flak *n.* —See *BARRAGE*, *CRITICISM*.
flake *n.* A small, thin piece of something ► *chip*, *leaf*, *paring*, *scale*, *slice*, *sliver*, *shaving*. [*Compare* *BIT*¹, *CUT*, *END*.] —See also *CHARACTER* (5).
flake *v.* To come or fall off in small, thin pieces ► *chip*, *desquamate*, *exfoliate*, *peel*, *scale*, *shed*.
flamboyant *adj.* —See *DRAMATIC* (2), *ORNATE*, *SHOWY*.
flame *n.* The visible signs of combustion ► *blaze*, *conflagration*, *fire*, *flare-up*. —See also *LOVER*.
flame *v.* —See *BURN* (2).
flameproof or **flame-resistant** or **flame-retardant** *adj.* —See *FIREPROOF*.
flaming *adj.* —See *BURNING*, *PASSIONATE*.